

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor
—Alex. H. Washburn—

No Mechanical Marvel Is Entirely New

Arkansas publishers are pretty proud of their accomplishment in leading the nation in setting up an automatic type transmission system which now connects eight cities, and which is being widely copied in Texas, North Carolina, and many other states and foreign countries.

We set up the automatic wire in 1942, based on the patented machine known as Teletypesetter, which had been perfected and placed on the market in 1935. It is manufactured by a subsidiary of American Telephone & Telegraph Co., and was developed by Walter Morey, who himself visited Hope and The Star several years ago.

The basic idea behind Teletypesetter is a perforated tape seven-eighths of an inch wide. The six holes punched in that tape control the alphabet and also certain line-type operations.

Mr. Morey told me he first got the idea of applying perforated tape to a linotype about 1906, while watching a monotype (a machine which casts individual letters instead of whole lines) operate from perforated tape in San Francisco. Now comes a pertinent comment, indeed. One of our trade writers, William Feather, says in Imperial Type Metal magazine:

"Use of a paper guide strip (or tape), perforated as in the present monotype (or linotype) to control type setting operations, was present in another English (or Scottish) development, the machine of Alexander Mackie, displayed in the early 1870s. There were two machines, the perforator and the type setter. Since the latter worked automatically from the perforated paper, visitors were treated to the marvel of type being set by a machine with no human hand to aid it."

You see it in The Star plant every day. But the truth is, the only difference between 1870 and 1950 is that today we are telegraphing the tape from one city to another.

Citizens Rally Behind Mercy Slayer

Allentown, Pa., March 20 —(AP)—The plight of Harold Mohr, accused mercy slayer, today caught the imagination of the 3,100 residents of nearby Coplay.

"Almost to a man, we're behind Harold," said August Hobel, Jr., Coplay coal dealer and leader of the movement to back the 36-year-old ex-tannery worker with both money and heart.

"I make coal deliveries and people stop me every 20 feet to ask, 'when are you going to come around and collect from me to help Harold?'" Hobel said.

"The folks in these parts just believe that Harold did what he thought was right," Hobel added. Mohr is being held on a charge of murder in the shotgun slaying of his blind, cancer-ridden brother, Walter, 55. The victim had been ill for 15 years. His face had wasted away until only his lips could be seen.

Tonight, the citizens of Coplay are holding a meeting in the town hall. They will play a campaign to help Mohr in every way they can. Meanwhile, the state moved ahead in its job of bringing Mohr, an ex-medical corpsman who served more than four years in the South Pacific, to trial on a murder charge.

District Attorney Kenneth H. Koch has declined to say what degree of murder guilt the commonwealth will seek to prove. Koch, himself, has indicated he believes the story told by Harold of the shooting March 5.

The district attorney said Harold's confession of the shooting was "a full, frank and honest description of the death of Walter Mohr."

"This death," Koch said, "is a mercy killing on the basis of the defendant's statement to me."

Harold told Policeman Donald Wentzel after his arrest that Walter had begged him many times to "do away with him."

"He pleaded with me, saying, 'put me out of my misery' or 'put me out of this world,'" Wentzel quoted Harold as saying.

"My brother asked me to shoot him. He often asked me to. I finally decided to do it. Walter knew what was happening. I asked him if he was ready. He told me to go ahead. I fired the gun."

Harold, who has been tending the Mohr household chores ever since his mother died in August, 1946 pleaded innocent to a murder charge.

His main task was taking care of Walter, who had not been outside the house in 10 years. His father works in a cigar factory and one of his three other brothers recently resigned as Coplay police chief.

The total number of telephones in the United States is given as 38,000,000, or three-fifths of the world's total of 60,000,000.

WEATHER FORECAST

Arkansas: Fair, not much change in temperatures this afternoon, tonight. Tuesday cloudy, warm with rain.

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Dr. Jones to Speak at Stock Dinner Tonight

Dr. Lewis Webster Jones, president of the University of Arkansas, will be principal speaker at a Third District Livestock show dinner tonight at 7:30 at Hotel Barlow.

Approximately 150 from all over the district will attend. Representatives from each of the 17 counties will be on hand. Show Manager, Bob Shivers, said today.

Following the speaking program the group will hold an open forum and suggestions and plans will be considered for the annual Third District Livestock Show here this fall.

75 Arms Aid Planes Leave for Europe

Washington, March 20 —(AP)—The first batch of about 75 American B-29s takes off for Britain today under the -1,000,000,000 arms aid program to strengthen Western Europe's defenses.

Four of the reconditioned bombers, manned by American crews, leave nearby Andrews field this afternoon bound for a British airbase.

The seven-year-old planes, once the heaviest the American air force could send aloft, now are classed as "medium bombers." The giant B-36 is alone in the heavy bomb class now.

But the B-29s, 2,000-mile combat range and 10-ton bomb load are expected to add considerable striking power to the British air force. The British, in line with Allied defense plans, have concentrated on building speedy jet fighters, leaving bomber production to the United States.

Secretary of Defense Johnson and British Ambassador Sir Oliver Franks were to be on hand at the airport for the ceremony formally turning the planes over to the British.

The four-engine planes, now powered by modernized motors, are the first American arms to be handed over to the British under the arms program approved by congress last October. They will also be the first to reach their European destination.

Forty eight American Helacut fighters and Heldiver bombers were loaded aboard the French aircraft carrier "Dixmude" at Norfolk, Va., March 8. These were the first American weapons actually given to an Atlantic pact nation but they are not expected to arrive at Bizerte, the French naval base in North Africa, for some time.

Additional carloads of American military equipment are now piling up at East coast ports for shipment to other Western European nations aboard regular commercial vessels.

Results of Scout Kite Contest

Results of the Boy Scout kite contest, held yesterday at the old airport site on the Washington road, were announced today by Frank Cockrell, kite executive.

Jerry O'Neal won a flash light for having the largest kite and Richard Cook took second and a compass. The contest was judged by John Bagley.

Wayne Smiley had the smallest kite and won a flashlight. Walter Smiler was second and was awarded a compass. Clyde Coffee was the judge.

Most beautiful kite was exhibited by Franklin Horton who received a waterproof matchbox and Hal Branch was second and won a scout belt. The event was judged by Jimmy Miller and Frank Cockrell.

Ben Owen had the highest flying kite and was awarded a hand ox and Jerry O'Neal was given a compass for placing second. John Bagley judged the contest from a plane.

Jimmy Branch had the ugliest kite according to judge Jimmy Miller and received a waterproof matchbox and Bobby ones was second and won a scout belt.

Skippy Bryan won the kite fight and was awarded a knife and Bill Wray won a compass for being second. Clyde Coffee was the judge.

The fourteen entrants exhibited 35 kites. Following the contest Air Squadron 62 demonstrated model planes. Kite contest entries included:

Jerry O'Neal, Billy Wray, Frank Horton, Bobby ones, Im-Hal Branch, Richard Cook, David McKenzie, Skippy Bryan, Walter and Wayne Smiley and Billy Hare.



CONFIDENT OF ACQUITTAL — University of Iowa student Robert Bednasek, 24, second from right, on trial in Iowa City for the murder of his co-ed sweetheart, Margaret "Gee Gee" Jackson, 20, smiles during the noon recess visit of fraternity brothers Edward Naramore, right, and Nick Kazos. Bednasek said that he was "more confident than ever" that he will be found innocent of charges that he deliberately strangled Miss Jackson during a candlelight party at his boarding house. (NEA Telephoto)



IN HONOR OF STALIN—French atomic scientist Frederic Joliot-Curie addresses a group of Paris Reds gathered for an exhibit of gifts to be sent to Josef Stalin on his 70th birthday, Dec. 21. Signs in the background of the hall of the Metal Workers' Union show a huge portrait of Stalin, and charts that claim Soviet production far outstrips that of the capitalist countries. (Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent Rene Henry.)

Man Finds He Has Too Many Wives But Both Are Trying to Get Him Free on Bond

Brakes on Traditional Easter Dollar

New York, March 20 —(AP)—The brakes are on the traditional Easter shopping boom right now, but most businessmen still hope they can beat last year's total or come close to it.

There are two measuring sticks by which to judge Easter trade—dollar and unit volume. Most authorities agree the dollar volume is going to be about equal to a year ago, give or take a few percentage points.

But all are sure the physical volume of suits and dresses and hats and a long list of other Easter things is going to be higher than a year ago.

That's because of price reductions during the past year all along the line. One source estimates prices are down an average of three per cent for the year.

Easter falls on April 9 this year, one week earlier than last year. The very earliness of Easter, however, makes for a short shopping season. With the weather still cold, Easter slips up on people before they know it.

W. Ian Mack, business consultant, believes it is a little early to judge the temper of Easter business, but says:

"The expectation is there will be fairly brisk retail trade right up to Easter. March will exceed a year ago, or approximately it, in dollar volume. Unit sales should show an appreciable increase."

Another research organization of national reputation says there aren't many indications so far of Easter shopping getting underway. Apparel sales are below a year ago both counts within a week or two.

PSC Head Is Candidate for Associate Justice

Little Rock, March 20 —(AP)—Arkansas Public Service Commission Chairman Charles C. Wine is a candidate for associate justice of the Arkansas Supreme court.

Wine, 49, Texarkana attorney, has filed pledges as a candidate for the post left vacant by the death of Justice R. W. Robins. He said that he would resign his PSC post in the near future.

Wine is a University of Arkansas graduate and practiced in Fayetteville before moving to Texarkana in 1935. He was appointed PSC chairman in 1945, resigned to accept an interim appointment to the Supreme court in 1948 and was re-appointed to the PSC in 1949.

Two Burned in Fighting Oil Tank Blaze

El Dorado, March 20 —(AP)—Two men were burned fighting a \$125,000 oil tank fire that was burning itself out in the shuler field today.

Capt. E. T. Sewell of the El Dorado fire department, and Lee Hunt, official of Phillips Petroleum company, which owned the tank, were burned on the hands, neither seriously.

Lightning hit the 55,000-barrel tank, containing about 30,000 barrels of oil early yesterday. For hours the furious blaze threatened adjoining installations in the heart of the field, 15 miles west of El Dorado.

The field is cited as a model for unit operation and waste salt water disposal.

El Dorado Fire Chief Frank Smith estimated the loss at \$95,000 for the oil and \$35,000 for the tank.

He said the roof of the tank burned off quickly and that the steel sides melted as the oil burned lower.

Several times the hot oil boiled over, threatening to spread flames to a 100,000-barrel tank and nearby homes of field executives.

Field workmen hurriedly built a half-mile pipeline to bring water to the fire fighting equipment.

Winter Makes Feeble Attack in Some Areas

By The Associated Press
Retreating, winter made another brief but feeble counter-attack against some sections of the nation today.

Temperatures were considerably below normal in the lower Mississippi valley and Texas, while the Great Lakes region, eastern Missouri and eastern Iowa were pelted with sleet and freezing rain.

Federal Forecaster L. L. Means at Chicago said the storm was not severe and that rising temperatures today would clear the area of the ice glaze before spring makes its official entry at 10:36 (CST) tonight.

The southeastern states had rain and the high rocky mountain region reported both rain and snow. A snowstorm in the mountains east of Salt Lake City, Utah, blocked U.S. highway 40 temporarily last night.

Elsewhere temperatures generally were around normal and skies were clear.

Two American Scientists Missing

London, March 20 —(UP)—Two top American-born atomic scientists have disappeared and are being sought by British and American agents in connection with the Fuchs case, the London Daily Graphic reported today.

A dispatch in the newspaper said arrests may be made on both sides of the Atlantic within two or three days.

According to the newspaper government agents want to question the two men regarding their relationship to Dr. Klaus Fuchs, German-born British scientist sentenced to 14 years in prison for revealing atomic secrets to Russia.

Both men were among the top scientists at Harwell, the big British atomic center where Fuchs was head of theoretical research, the Graphic said.

"Two top-level United States-born scientists have suddenly disappeared from Britain," the Graphic Dispatch said.

"They are believed to have gone to the United States and the federal bureau of investigation has been asked to find them."

"Scotland Yard's special branch is working hard to find out the reason for the two scientists' disappearance and want to know more about their relationship to Fuchs."

Timberline in mountains is at an elevation above which trees can not grow.

Fresh Attack on McCarthy Is Expected

Washington, March 20 —(AP)—The Truman administration looked to Ambassador Philip C. Jessup for a fresh attack today on Republican Senator McCarthy's charges of Communists in the state department.

The Wisconsin senator yesterday hurled a new blast at Secretary of State Acheson, Jessup's boss. McCarthy said the country would be better off if Acheson were ousted, along with what he called "the whole ring of 'untouchables'" in the department.

Jessup, U. S. envoy-at-large, had a date at the capitol to reply from the witness stand (EST) to McCarthy's charges that Jessup (1) has an "unusual affinity for Communist causes," and (2) once sponsored a subversive organization.

When he returned from the Orient last week, Jessup declared there is no substance to McCarthy's charges about him.

He is expected to report that today to the senate foreign relations subcommittee and in the inquiry, which McCarthy touched off by claiming there are 57 carrying Communists in the state department.

There were reports that Jessup was ready to go on from there and launch a sharp new counterattack in behalf of the state department generally.

In doing that Jessup would be picking up where Undersecretary of State John E. Peurifoy left off last week. Peurifoy called McCarthy's charges against another foreign service officer a shame and a disgrace. He also said the senator is damaging U. S. foreign relations.

In making his remarks about Acheson on a television program yesterday, McCarthy said Peurifoy is Acheson's mouthpiece and that Peurifoy would lose his job if he failed to criticize McCarthy's tactics.

McCarthy also said he is convinced "we still have most of the 'Hiss ring' in the department." That was an allusion to Alger Hiss, former state department official who recently was convicted on a charge that he lied in denying that he gave secret U. S. documents to a Russian courier.

In reply to a question, McCarthy said "the top man in the espionage ring" and several other "extremely dangerous men" still are in the department.

As the committee's explosive inquiry moved ahead there were these other developments:

1. Attorney General McGrath was reported to be protesting vigorously against any decision to open the FBI's files to the investigation group. McCarthy said that without those records the inquiry would be "utterly senseless."

2. Senator Tydings (D-Md.), the committee chairman, said he had been told that Peurifoy would not follow him today regarding procedure to be followed in making available state department records and other government files on those persons who have been accused by McCarthy.

3. Senator Hickenlooper (R-Iowa), a member of the committee, told a reporter he is ready to force a showdown on the files issue. He said uncertainty about obtaining them, and over whether FBI records would be included, has gone on long enough.

4. The civil service loyalty review board refused over the weekend to answer questions by McCarthy about the handling of the case of career diplomat John S. Service, who has been warmly defended by the state department against McCarthy's contentions he is pro-communist. Seth W. Richardson, the review board chairman, said a presidential order bars a reply to McCarthy's queries.

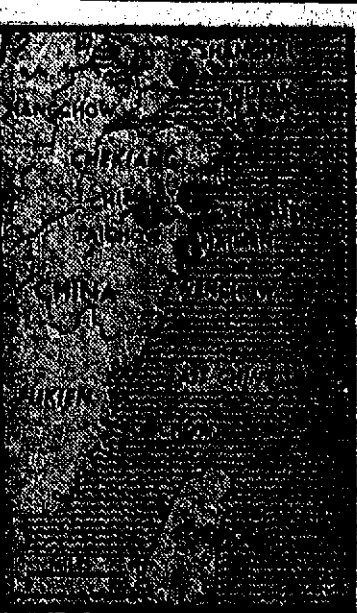
Feeders Supply Building Plan Protested

A proposal by Feeders Supply Co. to move a building from the Proving Ground to its old location along the L & A Railway tracks just off West Third Street has been protested by property owners of the area.

Last week the firm asked the city for a permit to move the large frame building, estimated cost \$8,000, to its old location which was destroyed by fire February.

Shortly after property owners filed a protest petition signed by 12 persons. The council is expected to discuss the issue at its regular meeting Tuesday night.

Ghost towns in the west sometimes come to life through new ore discoveries, tourist trade or winter sports.



ATTACK MAINLAND — Map shows where Chinese Nationalist landing force invaded the Communist-held Chekiang Province coastal city of Sunghien (1), about 200 miles south of Shanghai (2), according to Nationalist naval communications. Other units reportedly landed on Haimen (3), and men were landed between Haimen and Taichow (4), to prevent Red counter-attack on Sunghien. Landing was the first large-scale attack on the mainland since last November. (NEA Newsmag)

Lions Show Will Delight the Family

"There goes the Princess floating right out over the footlights!" Yes, you and your hundreds of friends and neighbors in the City of Hope will say just that when you see the startling performance of Dr. Gaffney, America's Cleverest Magician and his company at the High School auditorium on Thursday night, March 23 at 8 p.m.

Dr. Gaffney possesses that rich ability tried by many and mastered by only one or two of each generation, where by he can cause the princess to float right before your eyes without visible support. Being some mystic power with which few folks have communication. More than that, Dr. Gaffney places his pet Fox Terrier on her breast so she will be protected from any evil spirits which out of this realm of the real and as she travels in the realm of the mystic.

Many magicians have some sort of "floating lady" trick but Dr. Gaffney is the man who has mastered the technique they try to emulate.

The smooth and scholarly presentation of Dr. Gaffney is said to be most delightful and as he carries his audiences from one climax to another it will seem that he takes all within hearing on a personally conducted tour of the realm of the ancient mystics.

Dr. Gaffney uses assistants from the audience. And, in at least one routine the boy chosen to assist the great master goes home with the rabbit that came from the thin air above his head and presented to him by the Doctor.

"The Lion's club feels fortunate, indeed," declares John L. Wilson, Jr., president, "to have been able to secure the performance of Dr. Gaffney and company for an appearance at the High School auditorium. We feel certain that everyone will enjoy the two-hour revue of his artist, who possesses rare skill and ability and that his show will hold the audience spellbound."

Remember you can get your tickets from any Boy Scout in Hope or any member of the Lion's club. Proceeds from the performance of Dr. Gaffney will be used to retire the street marker indebtedness and the indebtedness incurred by the Lion's club in giving many needy people eye-glasses. If any surplus remains you can be assured that it will be put to a use that will benefit the citizens of Hope and Hempstead county.

Remember too that you are helping the Boy Scouts by buying tickets from them. If they are successful in selling all of their tickets they will be presented with a barbecue machine mounted on wheels. This machine can be used at the Scout cabin or on any of their picnics or hikes.

A special matinee will be held for all school students at 4 p.m. in the High school auditorium. Special matinee tickets are now on sale in each of the schools of Hope.

VFW Auxiliary to Name New Officers

The VFW Auxiliary will elect its new officers at a meeting at 7:30 Tuesday night. Mrs. Hinton Davis, president, urges all members to be present.

The organism causing fowl cholera does not live in the soil, according to the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

Slash in U. S. Spending Slim Possibility

Washington, March 20 —(AP)—Politically appealing plan for another billion dollars off federal spending next year was picking up strong bipartisan support today in the house.

Its strong appeal to the lawmakers is that it would be aimed at "non-essential" spending, with the house appropriations committee having the job of saying what falls in that category.

Appropriations committee members disclosed the plan as the committee started consideration today of an omnibus \$29,000,000,000 bill financing more than 40 federal agencies for the 1951 fiscal year starting next July 1. The committee hopes to have the bill in shape to send to the house floor early this week. It is slated for debate next week, but won't be voted on until after the Easter recess.

Committee members said the committee already has tentatively cut more than \$1,000,000,000 from the money requests in President Truman's \$32.4 billion budget.

Rep. John Taber of New York, top Republican on the appropriations committee, and a number of others want further reduction. Another "billion or two" would be in order, Taber told newsmen.

Republican at a key probably will be to withhold cutting drive until the bill reaches the amendment stage in the house. Any reductions made by the committee could be credited to the Democrats, a majority because committee votes are not made public.

Three plans are being considered for action in the house today. One is a horizontal cut of 10 percent in every item in the bill. Another leaves the committee. Opponents of this plan don't think this procedure is logical because it would be essential and less essential items alike.

Another plan would cut 10 percent in all non-essential items. The third plan is to motion to send the bill back to appropriations committee with instructions to shear from it a total of \$1,000,000,000 in "non-essential" items.

The latter plan has the strongest political appeal. This being congressional election year, many house members want to vote against knocking out a billion dollars in "non-essential" appropriations. On a rollcall vote economy probably would prevail.

Creator of Tarzan Dies at Age of 74

Encino, Calif., March 20 —(AP)—Edgar Rice Burroughs, whose twist of the theory of evolution Tarzan — brought riches that he never dreamed of, is dead. Burroughs, author, died yesterday, but the ape-man he created will live on to delight over generations of youngsters the world over. Fifteen novels were awaiting publication when Burroughs died of a heart attack in bed yesterday morning. A movie producer said he had contracted to make a Tarzan film. A tradition born in 1912 when Burroughs sold his Tarzan book apparently will continue for years to come. The 74-year-old multimillionaire writer became ill three months but up to that time had kept turning out new stories about jungle hero.

"Tarzan of the Apes" drew Burroughs only -700. After phenomenal success, he retained control over his literary works, the royalties reached fabulous proportions. From movie rights alone he is reported to have received \$5,000,000.

Almost 40,000,000 Tarzan books have been sold. Some have been translated into as many as 25 languages. The ape-man, portrayed by such actors as Johnny Weissmuller, Buster Crabbe and Currier Iler Barker, has appeared in 16 movies.

Chicken House, 25 Birds Burn Near Hope

A chicken house caught fire, burned early today at the Hope No. 4, the fire department said today. About 25 chickens were killed.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture says "the exterior of houses are protected from fire by using fireproofing material."

Sino Reds Are Having Plenty of Trouble

Washington, March 20 (AP)—Diplomatic reports have convinced top State Department officials that China's Communist rulers are running into extreme difficulties in trying to consolidate their hold on the country.

The State Department officials believe that the Chinese Communists are having trouble in spreading their control over the country. They are having difficulties in getting the people to accept their rule. They are also having trouble in getting the people to accept their policies.

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New Industries Moving Into Arkansas Sites

Little Rock, March 20 (AP)—Texarkana, Malvern, Mena and Harrison will have new industrial plants soon.

Officials of the E. A. Vermorel Die casting company said the plant they are moving from California to Arkansas will be located at Malvern. The plant makes aluminum castings.

Frank Cantrell, manager of the Arkansas Economic Council-State Chamber of Commerce, has announced that Floyd H. Sexton, East St. Louis, Ill., will locate a steel pipe and tubing plant at Texarkana.

Cantrell also said that L. O. and Leonard Gaylen, Mena, are constructing a new cheese plant there, and that Scott A. Matlock, former Little Rock business man, plans to establish a woodworking plant in Harrison.

Housing Bill Comes Up for New Test

Washington, March 20 (AP)—President Truman's \$2,000,000,000 co-op housing bill came up today for a new test in congress, this time in the house. Administration men conceded privately in advance they expect defeat.

The senate rejected the middle-income co-op housing idea last week on a 43 to 38 vote. A leadership poll of house Democrats indicated doubtful strength there.

Under the legislation before the house a \$2,000,000,000 government corporation would be created. It would borrow most of its capital from the public. It then would finance, through co-operatives and other non-profit organizations, the building of homes for families with annual incomes of from \$2,400 to \$4,700.

Leading the house assault on the co-op housing proposal, Rep. Wolcott (R-Mich) said: "It's discriminatory, it's socialistic."

"It is not a home-building program, but a rent subsidy program," he told reporters. "It does not propose that anybody own a home. It would help only about 3 per cent

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Clubs

Melrose

The Melrose home demonstration club held its February meeting at the home of Mrs. Jewel Still. Lovely arrangements of spring flowers were used throughout the home.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Gilbert Brown, and the devotional was given by the hostess.

The creed was repeated and the song "Sweet Hour of Prayer" was sung by the group.

An informative talk on poultry was given by Mrs. J. F. Merchant. Mrs. H. E. Patterson spoke on food, and Mrs. J. F. Mangum spoke on gardening.

A demonstration on room arrangement was given by Mrs. Lorraine Blackwood, home demonstration agent.

Mrs. Willie Beard, recreation leader, led the group in an interesting game. The prize was won by Mrs. Blackwood.

The surprise package was won by Mrs. Lee Parris.

After the meeting was adjourned, refreshments were served to nine members, Mrs. Blackwood, and four new members, Mrs. Holton House, Mrs. C. F. Still, Mrs. Harrison Ross and Mrs. Lee Parris.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Otho Roberts on March 21.

The Shover Springs home demonstration met for its February meeting at the community building. The meeting was called to order by the vice-president, Mrs. Joe England. After repeating the home demonstration club Woman's Creed, the group sang "Auld Lang Syne". The hostess, Mrs. Byrd read the 121st Psalm. Mrs. Collier lead in prayer. The roll call was answered by 16 members and one new member, Mrs. Jewell Shield.

With "How I make housekeeping easier". During the short business session the club voted to donate cakes for the county cake walk to be held soon.

There were two reports from leaders. Home grounds by Mrs. Ross Bales, and poultry by Mrs. Delmer Irvin.

Mrs. Byrd was the lucky winner of the door prize, which was a beautiful hand painted scarf. The surprise package brought \$1.70 and went to Mrs. Otis Fuller.

Every member was asked to bring a potted plant or flower cutting to the next meeting for exchange.

The hostess and co-hostess, Mrs. Otis Fuller, served delicious refreshments to the members. March hostesses will be Mrs. Harold Sanford and Mrs. George Crews.

The Victory Home demonstration club held its March meeting at the home of Mrs. William Schooley.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. Schooley. The creed was repeated and the song of the month was sung by the group. The devotional, Galatians 6: 1-12, was read by the hostess. Prayer was lead by Mrs. E. C. Calhoun. The roll was answered with "What My Family Reads". The minutes were read and the group discussed ways of raising money for the club tour.

The group also agreed to send something each month to the convalescent center, Jacksonville, Arkansas, which is the club project for the year. This month the club sent clothes to the center. The club made plans to join other clubs in helping with miscellaneous gifts for the cripple home.

Reports were given by Mrs. Robert Cash, poultry leader, and Mrs. Howell Gbad, nutritional leader. An interesting talk on child development, books and toys for children, and ways of correcting small children was given by the child development and family life leader, Mrs. Horace Alford. Recreation was under the direction of Mrs. Howell Goad.

The hostess assisted by Mrs. Jack Sumpter in serving a salad plate with drinks to ten members one visitor.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. C. J. Rowe.

The Blevins Home demonstration club held its February meeting at the home of Mrs. Victor Hampton.

Mrs. Clyde Sewell, president, was unable to attend so Mrs. C. W. Leverette, vice-president, conducted the meeting.

Minutes of the previous meeting was read by Mrs. Cecil Snelgrove, secretary-treasurer, and plans for raising money were discussed.

Mrs. Leverette gave a report on the recent meeting in Hope. Mrs. Milburn Tippet gave an interesting

talk on color in the home and furniture arrangement.

After the meeting refreshments were served to nineteen ladies. Mrs. John Foster, Mrs. Neely Whitefield, Mrs. Cyrus Honea, Mrs. Idus Whitefield, Mrs. Claude Freyburger, and Mrs. Evelyn Campbell joined the club.

The next meeting will be on March 23 at the home of Mrs. T. J. Stewart.

Guernsey 4-H Guernsey Junior 4-H club had its regular meeting March 2 at Guernsey school presided over by Mary Avis Stroud, president.

A talent contest was held during the meeting. Plans were made for special activities to be carried out during the year. Byron Huddleston, assistant county agent, led the group in a demonstration in organized recreation.

The Rock Mound home demonstration club met in March at the home of Mrs. J. E. Bruce.

The American Creed was repeated by the group and the hostess read the devotional. The Lord's Prayer was repeated.

During the business session plans for the dress revue, cake walk, and amateur night were discussed. Mrs. Johnny McCorkle gave a report on landscaping.

Mrs. Alfred Bearden was in charge of the program on child development and family life. Mrs. Erman Bright conducted the recreation period. The thrift garment was won by Mrs. Alfred Bearden. Secret pals exchanged gifts and drew names for the next three months.

After the meeting adjourned refreshments were served to ten members.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Johnny McCorkle.

The 75th anniversary edition of the *Clarion* is going to be a history book—bound with a special cover! Since we began running items from our files under "50 Years Ago," folks have been asking for the whole story of Our Town.

There will be special features on our business firms and leading citizens—past and present. Interesting things that have happened around these parts ever since the town was founded—and how our citizens first got together to establish law and order.

From where I sit, these first citizens... like our present-day tavern owners and brewers. They, too, have gotten together in the old tradition. Tavern owners cooperate with the Brewers' Self-Regulation program—so that taverns are clean and pleasant and operated with respect for all.

Incidentally, how would you like your hometown paper to get out a special history from the old files, like I did? Let your own editor hear about it!

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PRESCOTT NEWS

Monday, March 20

The Nevada county teachers association will hold a banquet meeting Monday night at 7 o'clock at the Hotel Lawson. Dr. A. B. Bonds, Jr. of Little Rock will be the guest speaker.

The woman's missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Vernon Fore. Mrs. Joe R. Hamilton and Mrs. Jack Harrell will conduct the program.

The community choir will practice Monday night at 7 o'clock at the First Methodist church.

The American Legion auxiliary will meet on Monday evening in the home of Mrs. J. B. Hesterly with Mrs. Mark Justiss and Mrs. Joe T. Smith co-hostesses.

Tuesday, March 21

The Prescott Musical Colerite will present faculty members of Ouachita college in a concert Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the First Baptist church. The public is invited to attend.

The Business Women's council of the First Christian church will meet Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. W. Bradley with Mrs. Emerson Bradley co-hostesses.

The Methodist Men's fellowship dinner will be held Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock in the Educational Building. Attorney General Ike Murry will be the guest speaker.

The Prescott Garden club will have their annual Jonquil tea on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. J. W. Teeter with Mrs. Jesse Crow, Mrs. Vernon Fore and Mrs. J. C. Woodul co-hostesses.

A mid-week meeting will be held at the First Christian church Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Miss Elizabeth Francisco will be the leader for the evening on the topic "The Church and World Peace".

Mrs. Turberville Entertains Wednesday Bridge Club

Members of the Wednesday Bridge club were entertained Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Frank Turberville.

Three rooms were lovely with arrangements of pussy willow, jonquils and camellias.

The high score prize was won by Mrs. Saxon Regan and the low score prize by Mrs. Guss McCaskill.

Guests of the club were Mrs. J. I. McCartney, Mrs. J. V. McMahon and Mrs. Janie Mae Lucas.

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SOCIETY

Phone 1268 or 1269 Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

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The pledges of the Alpha Zeta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at the home of Mrs. William Houton at 7:30 p.m. Monday for the pledge meeting.

Tuesday, March 21
The Oglesby Jr. High P. T. A. will meet at the school Tuesday, March 21, at 3 p.m. for the regular monthly meeting. The Executive Board meeting will be held at 2:30 p.m. All members are urged to be present.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet in the home of Mrs. E. F. Formby, 507 South Pine on Tuesday, March 21 at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. Clyde Coffee, and Mrs. Oscar Greenberg, co hostesses.

Tuesday, March 21
Poplar Grove No. 196 of the Supreme Forest Woodman circle will meet at the Woodman Hall Tuesday evening at 7:30 for the monthly social. All members are urged to attend.

Semi-Formal Dance
Held at Legion Hall.
Miss Jo Ann Shields, Bobby Phippin, Bob McPherson, Jimmy Shuford and Jim Edwards entertained with a semi-formal dance at the American Legion Hut from 9 to 12 Saturday evening.

The St. Patrick's motif was carried out in the decorations of the hut and beautiful arrangements of yellow jonquils were placed at vantage points.

Chaperones for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Shields, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Phippin, Mr. and Mrs. Blair Shuford, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Edwards, and Mrs. B. E. McPherson.

During the intermission, the chaperones served delightful refreshments from the long table decorated with yellow spring flowers and shamrocks.

There were 150 guests present for the occasion.

Coming and Going

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bradford spent Sunday with Mr. Bradford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bradford in Plainview, Ark.

Mrs. Hamilton L. Hanagan, teacher of Home Economics at Hope High school left Sunday to attend the Southern Regional Conference of Home Economics at Memphis which is being held in Memphis at the Peabody Hotel March 20-24.

Mrs. E. F. Formby returned Saturday from Little Rock where she has been confined on account of illness for the past two weeks.

Mrs. J. V. Gandy and Miss Grace Hudson of Carlisle were week-end guests of Mrs. Pauline Hudson and children here.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen LeRoy Murphy, Jr. and son, of Crossett, were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Murphy, Sr. and Miss Betty Murphy.

Jerry Johnson returned Monday to the Baylor school for Boys Chattanooga, after spending the Spring Holidays with his mother, Mrs. F. R. Johnson.

H. O. Kyler, Jr. of the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, was the week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Kyler, Sr.

Returning to Arkadelphia Sunday afternoon after a week-end visit here were Miss Betty Murphy, Miss Miley Jo Wilson, Miss Norma Jean Franks, Miss Nilla Dean Compton, Miss Pat Ellen, Miss Billie Joyce Boyett, Ted Jones, Darrell Crank, students at HSTC, and Joe Martindale, and Lloyd Thrash of Ouachita.

Miss Marietta Downs spent the week-end with Miss Mary Ellen Downs at Ouachita college in Arkadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Weaver of Prescott spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin here.

Miss Ethelene White of TWC,

Fort Worth is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. White.

Leonard Bearden of El Dorado arrived Saturday morning to accompany his mother, Mrs. J. E. Bearden to Hot Springs for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Beulah Bearden and her brother, Lee Bearden.

Cal. and Mrs. Darrell Bobo and little daughter, Linda of Houston, are attending the bedside of their mother, Mrs. Q. D. Butcher who underwent surgery at the Julia Chester hospital last Wednesday.

Mrs. D. H. Crafton and little daughter, Sandra have returned to their home in Roanoke, Va. after a three weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McDowell, and other relatives and friends here and in Fort Worth, Tex.

Arkansas Historical Association will have an impressive roster of speakers for the annual meeting to be held April 14-15 with the Henderson State Teachers college faculty being the host. Among these speakers will be C. R. Stuart, Jr. of Hope will give interesting elections which will trace some of the factions and factors which have changed the outcome of elections.

Hospital Notes

Julia Chester
Admitted: Mrs. F. E. Gilbert, Fulton; Mrs. G. E. Stanton, Saratoga; Mrs. C. H. Collins, McNab.
Discharged: Charles B. Collins, Mineral Springs, Ark.

Josephine
Admitted: Little Miss Dessie Jane Grigg, Hope; Miss Mary Jane Sparks, Hope; Mrs. J. H. McDaniel, Hope; Mrs. W. A. Sandor, Emmet; Doyle Percell, Rt. 4, Hope.
Discharged: Mrs. E. O. Norvell, Rt. 4, Hope; Mrs. V. C. Thompson, Hope; Mrs. W. A. Shadford, Emmet; Mary Jane Sparks, Hope; Mrs. A. E. Reyenga, Emmet; Little Miss Dessie Jane Grigg, Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Embrey, of Hope, Rt. 1, announce the arrival of a baby girl, born on March 17.

Branch
Saratoga.
Discharged: Sandra Hair, Hope; Mrs. S. F. Strange, Stamps.

Menus

Menus for High school.
Monday: Smothered steak, buttered cabbage, creamed corn, cornbread, milk, sugar cookies.

Tuesday: Irish stew, green beans, enriched bread, milk, sliced peaches.

Wednesday: Roast beef, mashed potatoes, hot rolls and butter, buttered carrots, milk, ginger cookie.

Thursday: Beef hash, rice and gravy, creole okra, corn bread, milk, butter scotch cookie.

Friday: Meat loaf and tomato sauce, creamed potatoes, black eyed peas, enriched bread, milk, jelly.

Menus for grade school and Junior High cafeteria.
Monday: Baked spaghetti with cheese sauce, mixed greens, carrot strips, cornbread, spiced cake, milk.

Tuesday: Black eyed peas, scolded corn, vegetable salad, cornbread, peanut butter-peach pies, milk.

Wednesday: Beef roast & gravy, mashed potatoes, peas, biscuits, honey, milk.

Thursday: Great Northern beans with tomato sauce, tossed green salad, cornbread, sliced peaches and cake, milk.

Friday: Southern Hash, rice, pear and cheese salad, whole wheat bread, chocolate pudding, milk.

The first American airplane fatality is believed to have been an army flier killed in 1908 at Fort Myer, Va.

Court Docket

City Docket
Marvin Warren, possession of untaxed beer and intoxicating liquor, plea guilty, fined \$50.
Heron Nelson, no city car license, forfeited \$5 cash bond.
Joseph Maxwell, Raymond Francis, disturbing peace forfeited \$10 cash bond.
Henry Milton Ed Moore, Ira Williams, drunkenness, forfeited \$10 cash bond.
Charlie Johnson, Assault & Battery, plea guilty, fined \$10.
William Tate, drunkenness plea guilty, fined \$10.
Booker Jenkins drunkenness, plea guilty, fined \$10.
State Docket
Mrs. Roy S. Carter, driving while drunk, forfeited \$25 cash bond.
Mrs. Roy C. Carter, Drunkenness, petition granted, setting aside judgment of March 20, 1950, on a charge of drunkenness.
D. B. Martin, bigamy, examination waived. Held to grand jury. Bond fixed at \$500.
Civil Docket
Barney Gaines vs. Robert White action on account for \$74.11, judgment by default for \$35. interest and cost.
Lex Jones vs. Frederick Stultz and James Stultz, action for \$17.00 dismissed without prejudice at cost of plaintiff.

Heart Campaign
Previously Reported
Mr. Mrs. T. S. McDavitt 5.08
Mrs. Nora Carrigan 3.00
Mrs. E. E. Briant 2.50
K. G. Hamilton 2.50
Dr. J. G. Martindale 5.00
Frank McLarty 5.00
Tom McLarty 5.00
C. C. Lewis 2.00
L. Holliman, Jr. 5.00
George Robinson 5.00
Dr. W. R. Alexander .50
Scott Store 3.00
Dale Jones 1.00
Elfin Frazier 1.00
W. L. Tate 1.00
Speedy Hutson 5.00
Hope Auto Co. 10.00
Tot-E-Tex Co. 1.00
Bob Lacey 1.00
Lyle Brown 2.00
Tommy Hays 1.00
Vincent Foster 1.00
Talbot Field 1.00
Stewart's Jewelry 2.00
Clyde Browning 1.00
Earl McPherson 1.00
Verdis Moses 1.00
Jim James 1.00
Donations 4.13
Mrs. Thompson & Brents 7.50
Howard Houston 5.00
Dr. Jim McKenzie 20.00
Hope Furniture Co. 5.00
Sid McMath 2.00
Hope Builders Supply 10.00
Hope Hardware Co. 5.00
Greening Insurance Co. 5.00
Mrs. Paye Hackler 1.00
Mrs. Olivia Wells 1.00
Total \$223.98

Seychelles nuts require five years to mature.

Dear Miss Dix: What do you think of the chances of happiness

DOROTHY DIX

Poor Husband Material

Dear Miss Dix: I am interested in a young man who treats me with boorish indifference. He maintains that it is against his principles to take a girl out for an evening's pleasure. He spends most of his evenings in further pursuit of his profession. He neither writes, telephones nor does any of the things that are expected of a normal man who is supposed to be in love with a woman, but is satisfied with seeing me on the very rare occasions when I go to his house for dinner. He never even bothers to see me home, no matter how inclement the weather or how late the hour. This man has asked me to marry him, but I refused because I felt that if I was not worthy of a little care and thought before marriage I would be worth even less afterward. Did I do right?

MARY JANE
Answer: You certainly were wise and saved yourself a lot of grief by saying "no," because it is just simply isn't in that type of man to be the kind of husband who will make any woman happy. He doesn't even know what a woman wants in a husband and he will never understand why one can't be satisfied with a wedding and her board and keep.

Wife a Convenience
To such a man a wife is just a convenience. Someone who will make a home for him where he would be in a club or hotel. Someone to provide him with the things he likes to eat, to look after his laundry and see that his clothes are sent to the presser. Somebody to talk to if he happens to feel in a mood of conversation. Somebody who will take care of his social obligations and make for him social contacts that are valuable. Somebody who will give all and ask nothing in return except just a living.

In these days virtually any woman can make a living for herself, so she doesn't have to marry for a meal ticket, and unless she is sure that a man is going to give her love and tenderness and the delicate little attentions that spring from his always thinking of her and wanting to give her pleasure, she is wise to refuse to marry him. Just bread and meat are not enough for her.

This man has tipped you off to the kind of husband he will make. Take the tip and you will save yourself a lonely loveless dreary stretch of married life. For if he is cold and inconsiderate and uncompanionable now, he will be a thousand times more so after you are married. Husbands never change.

Dear Miss Dix: I am a young married man. Have a pretty wife

and love her dearly. Nice baby, comfortable home, everything all right, except that I also have a mother-in-law who persists in living with us, although she has a living husband and four sons, all married. She spends her time finding fault with me and pointing out my weaknesses to my wife. She ruins my home and makes life miserable. What shall I do?

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A stingy husband is bad enough and hard for a woman to endure, but financial dependence, but he is impossible for the woman who has had her own pocketbook and spent her own money as she pleased. be open-handed herself. A tight hand goes with a tight heart and tight sympathies, and these have no place in marriage. The very first requisite of a good husband is generosity. A wife wants to feel that her husband gives to her freely and that his only regret is that he hasn't more to give, that he would like to hand her the world on a silver salver if he could.

Better pass up your tightwad. He is a poor bet.

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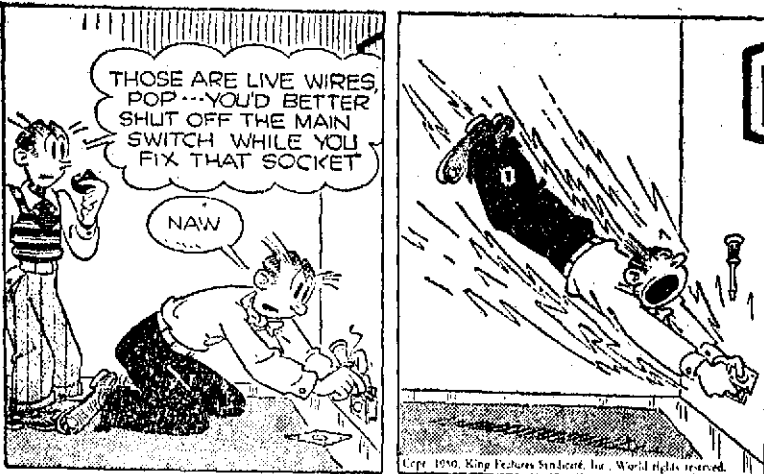
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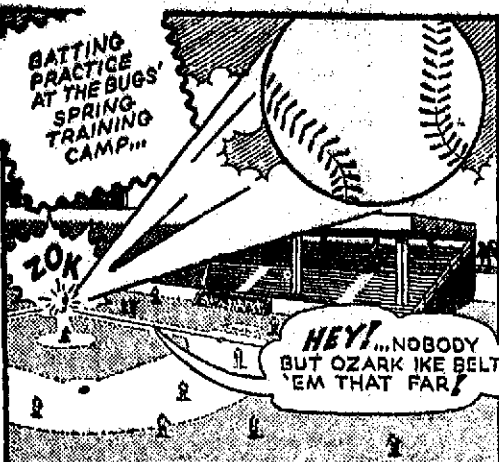
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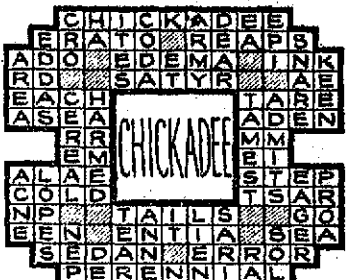


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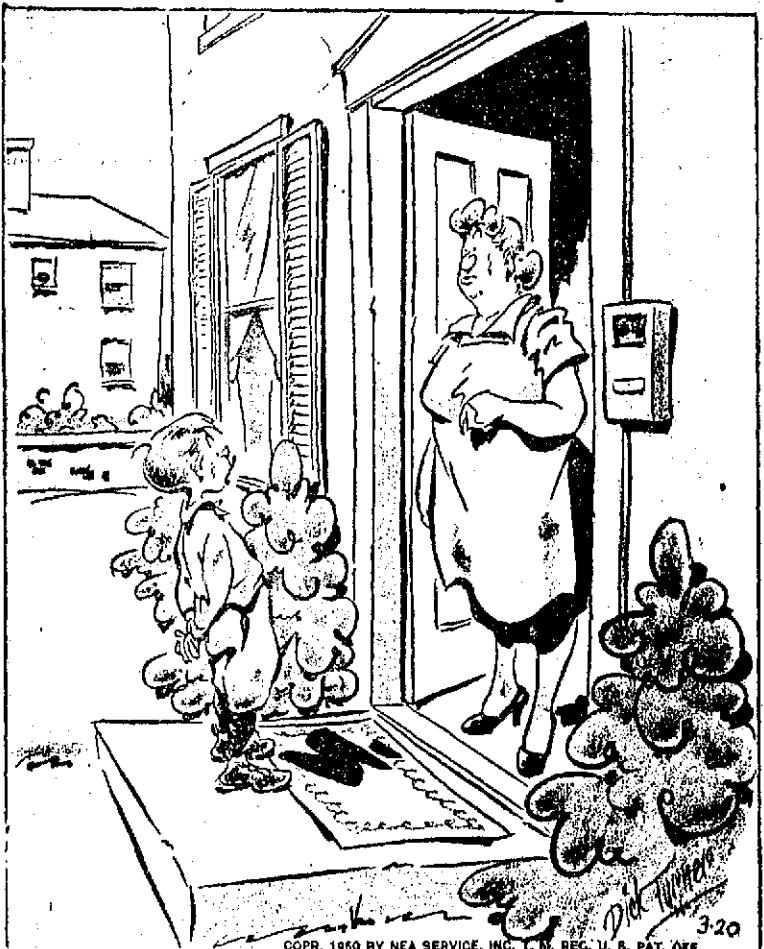
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 - 13 Interstices
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 - 15 Weight measure
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 - 18 Exist
 - 19 Groove
 - 20 Unite
 - 21 Boy
 - 22 While
 - 23 Down
 - 24 Fuel
 - 27 Bound
 - 29 Egyptian sun god
 - 30 Measure of area
 - 31 Preposition
 - 32 Italian river
 - 33 Seed vessels
 - 35 Cut
 - 36 Comparative suffix
 - 39 Negative reply
 - 40 Fruit drink
 - 42 Venomous snake
 - 47 Donkey
 - 48 It is blackish in color
 - 49 Tapestry
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 - 53 Straddling
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 - 56 Reduced
- VERTICAL**
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 - 2 Waken

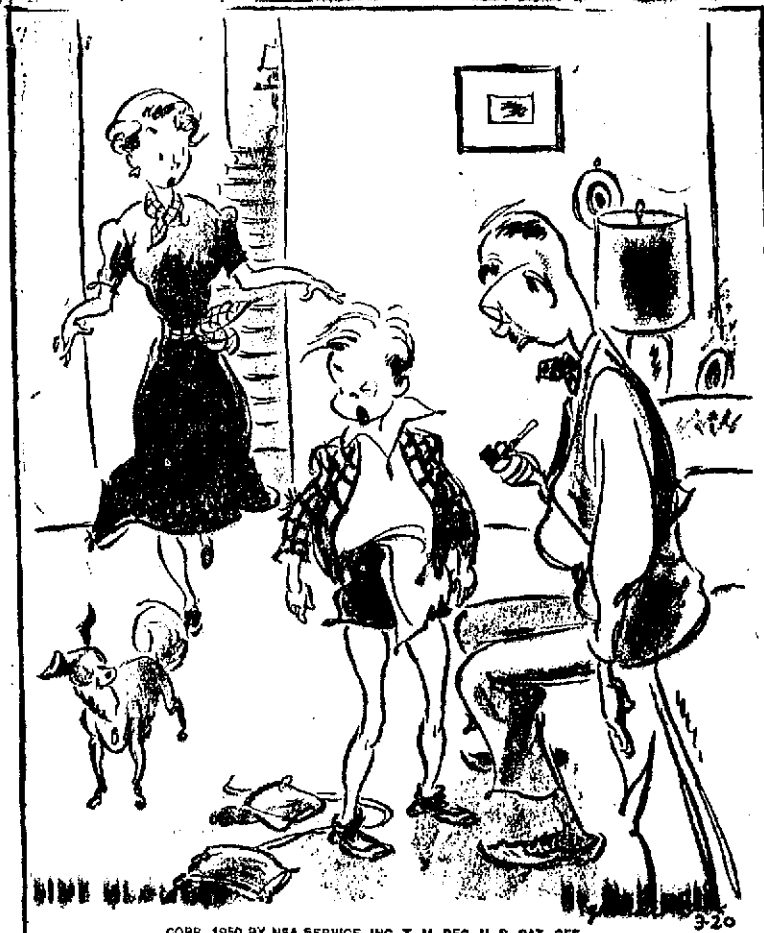
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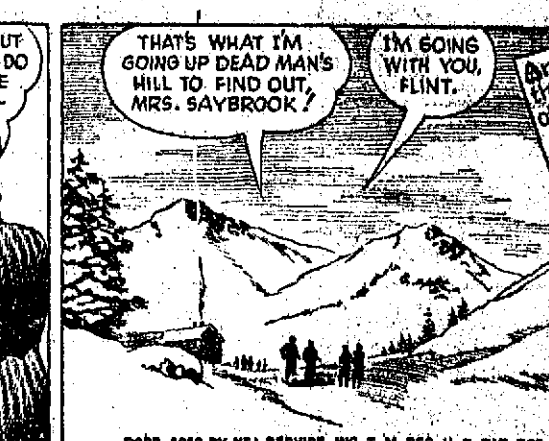
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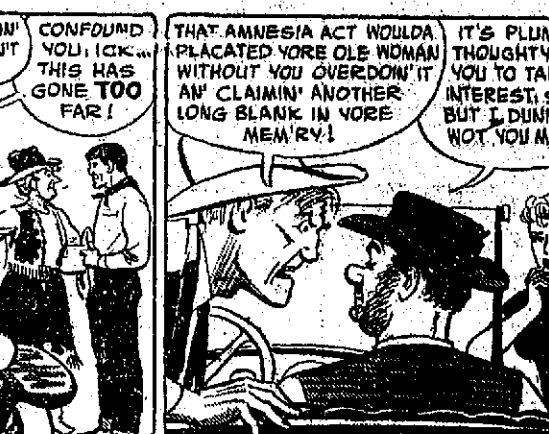


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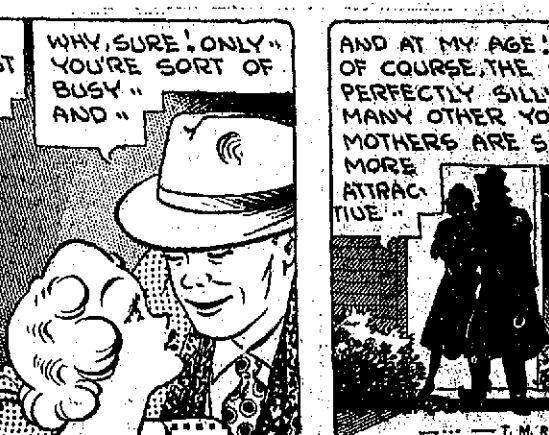
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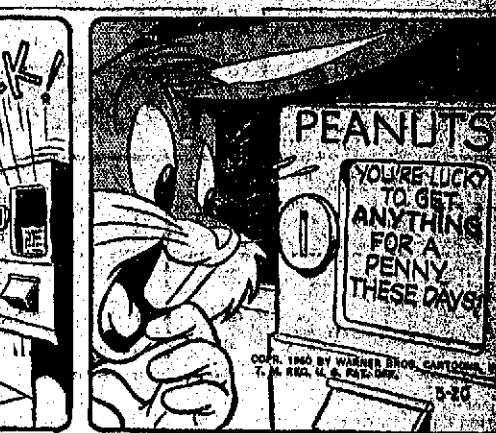
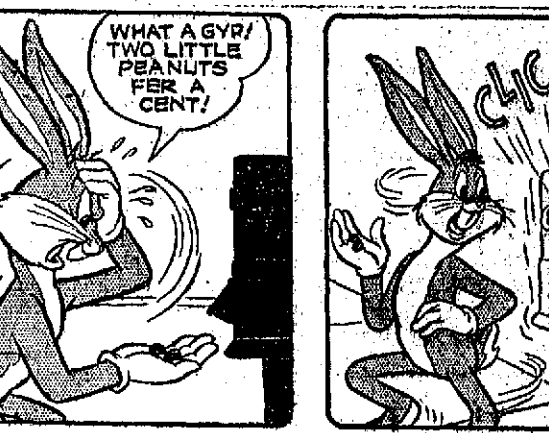
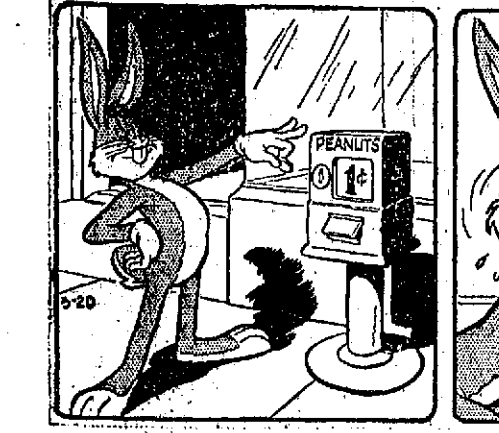
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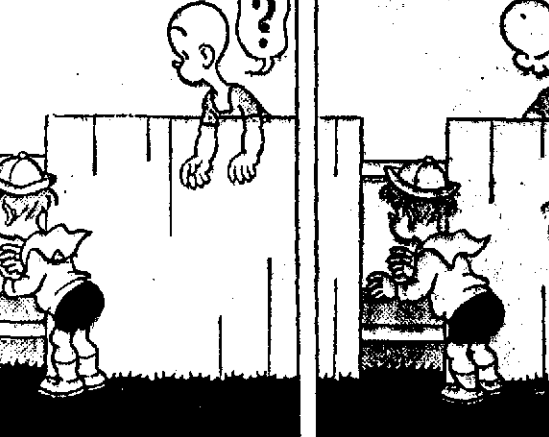
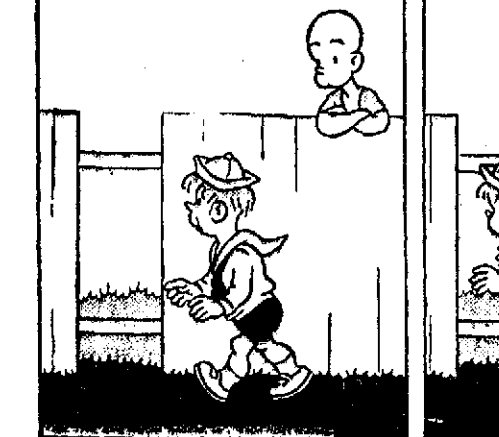
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Senate Airs Change in Gas Act

By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, March 20 — (AP)—The senate is debating a change in the natural gas act to cut down some authority of the federal power commission.

This commission, made up of five men, has several duties. For instance, it can control the rates charged by electric power companies when the power they sell crosses state lines.

And under a law passed in 1938—the natural gas act—the commission can decide what rates shall be charged by companies which deal in natural gas if it's piped across state lines.

Natural gas is found in the ground, mostly in the Southwest, and is pumped from there through more than 30,000 miles of pipelines which cross and criss-cross the country. This gas goes into all but 12 states.

There are about 13,000,000 consumers of this gas, the people who buy it for home or commercial use, in cooking or heating or in other ways.

To understand the argument going on now in the senate, it is first necessary to understand the picture of the people who are involved in getting the gas to those 13,000,000 consumers. There are three groups:

1. The producers. They are the ones who get the gas out of the ground. Some are independent. Others are tied up with oil companies. The independent producers sell the gas they get out of the ground to—

2. The transporters. These have the pipelines through which they pump the gas for sale to—

3. The distributors. They buy the gas from the pipeline companies and sell it to the consumers.

There's no argument about the right of the FPC, under the law, to control the rates charged by the transporters. The FPC has no control over distributors of natural gas, there's no argument about that, either.

The argument is over whether the law means the FPC has the right to control the rates which the independent producers can charge when they sell the gas to the pipeline companies.

The language of the law is worded in such a way that for a long time a lot of people, including a majority of the five-man FPC, thought the FPC had no right to regulate the rates of the independent producers.

A senate committee held hearings on this last year and finally recommended that congress amend the natural gas act of 1938 to say—so clearly that there'd be no more argument—that the FPC does not have the right to regulate producers' rates.

Two Oklahoma senators—Robert S. Kerr, a millionaire oilman, and Elmer Thomas—are pushing a bill to keep the FPC's hands off the independent producers.

Senator Douglas, Illinois Democrat, argues that this bill, if it becomes law, would let the producers hike their prices as high as they please and that—

Since this would mean higher prices to the pipeline companies which bought the gas from the producers and higher prices to the distributors who bought from the pipelines, the whole thing would in the end mean those 13,000,000 consumers would have to pay higher prices for the gas.

Other senators—for example, Langer, North Dakota Republican, and Myers, Pennsylvania Democrat—joined with Douglas in charging the bill would mean higher gas prices at the expense of the consumer.

Senator Johnson, Colorado Democrat, plugged for the bill along with Kerr and others. Their argument was that passage of the bill would have an effect like this:

The independent producers, no longer worried about FPC control over their rates, would produce more gas and this increased production would bring down the price of gas all along the line.

Johnson said the independent producers are unwilling to sell their gas interstate commerce if it means running the risk of having their whole operation subjected to federal regulation.

Ask Revival of Bi-Partisan Foreign Policy

Washington, March 20 — (AP)—Administration leaders were reported making strong efforts today to revive the bi-partisan foreign policy. It has been sagging in the continued absence from congress of Senator Vandenberg.

Recovering from a lung operation last fall, the Michigan Republican, has been ill and unable to attend any senate sessions since February 2.

In his absence, bi-partisan cooperation on foreign affairs has deteriorated to such an extent that the administration is reported to have enlisted Attorney General McGrath, a former senator, in an effort to reestablish the working basis the Democrats have had with Republicans in the past.

McGrath has talked to some Republican senators about the matter. Possibly as a result of his urging, the state department has begun a series of meetings with senators of both parties.

As an example, a group of six senators will sit down at luncheon next Wednesday with Deputy Un-

dersecretary of State Dean Rusk for a briefing on problems in south-east Asia.

However, this doesn't fulfill the Republicans' desire for consultation at the top levels.

It doesn't take the place, they say, of the almost daily conferences Vandenberg and others used to have with Robert Lovett, former undersecretary of state and right hand man to the then Secretary of State George Marshall.

Secretary of State Acheson has

WORLD'S FIRST PIPE LINE WAS A BAMBOO POLE

The ancient Chinese made many discoveries, but one of the most unusual was transmission of natural gas.

Centuries ago, the Chinese drilled wells 2,000 feet deep for gas, carried it through hollow bamboo pipes, and burned it under brine kettles to make salt.

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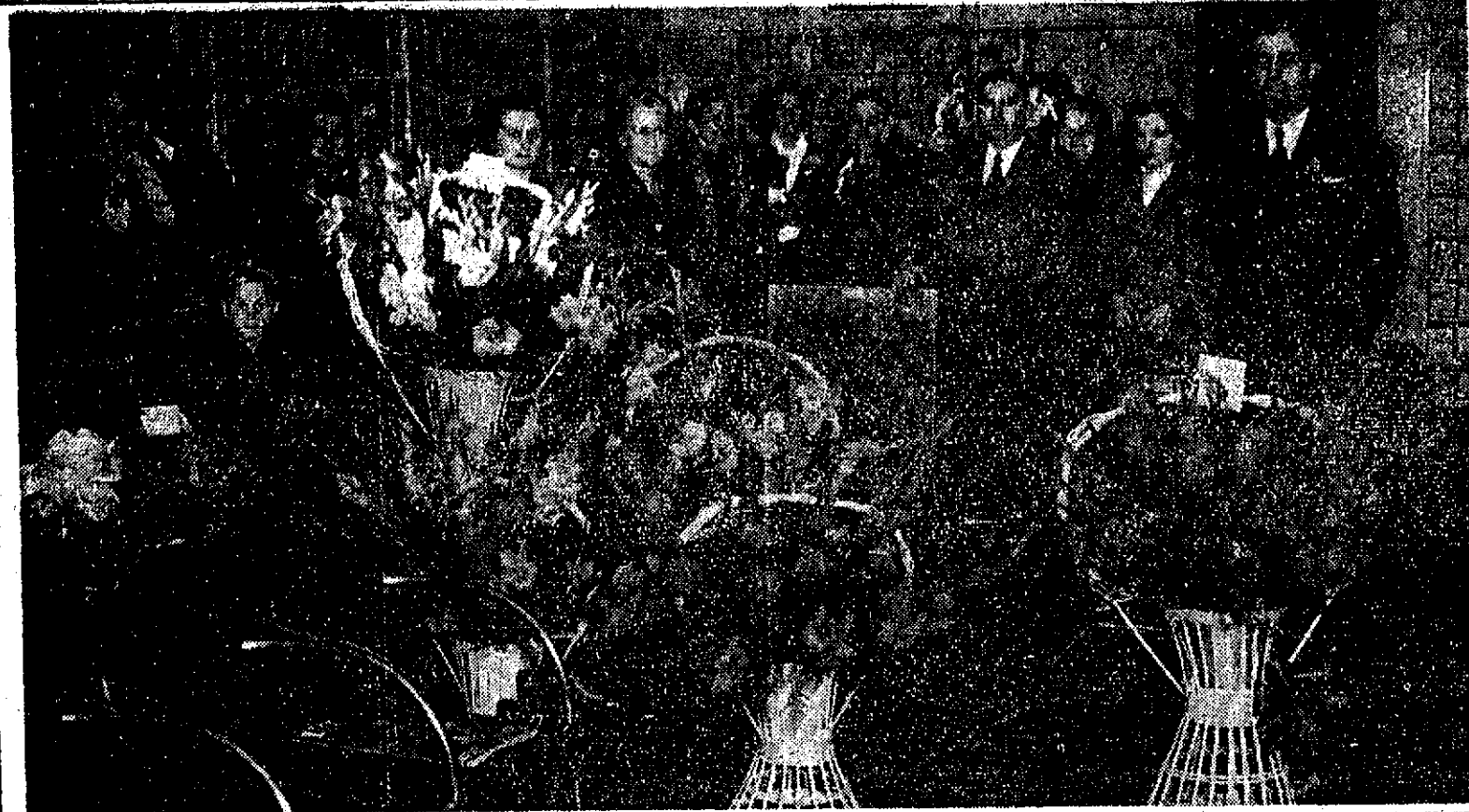
In America, George Washington recorded the discovery of natural gas in a West Virginia deed of 1775 which described a "burning spring." But, not until 1821, in Fredonia, N. Y., was natural gas first used. Here a 27-foot well supplied gas to light a hotel. Half a century more passed before the first real pipe line was built. It served the city of Titusville, Pennsylvania.

Use of natural gas then spread rapidly through Ohio, West Virginia and western Pennsylvania. In the early days it was rarely conserved or measured; people left their burners on all day.

Birth of Modern Industry

In recent years, expansion of the American natural gas industry has been tremendous. New gas fields were discovered in the Southwest, and now nearly 260,000 miles of pipe, including large transmission lines like Texas Eastern's, serve 36 states.

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STORE'S FORMAL OPENING — Burke's Shoe Store held its formal opening on Thursday, March 9. The above scene was snapped in the store during the day. Special awards were given to Mrs. Joe Ross, M. J. Johnson, Carl Clifton Rogers and Mary Dodson. Burkes Store, 112 West 2nd, formerly known as Hitt's Shoe Store, is now owned by Syvelle Burke.

developed no such contact man as Lovett.

The secretary himself goes to Capitol Hill frequently but Republicans seem to doubt that they are being taken into the administra-

point challenge to Russia with foreign relations committee members soon.

Senator Brewster (R-Me) told a reporter he thinks it is "most unfortunate" for continuation of the bi-partisan foreign policy that Vandenberg hasn't been able to be as active as he has in the past.

"I think the Republicans have always been willing to meet the Democrats half way in trying to work together on foreign policy," Brewster said. "But if the admin-

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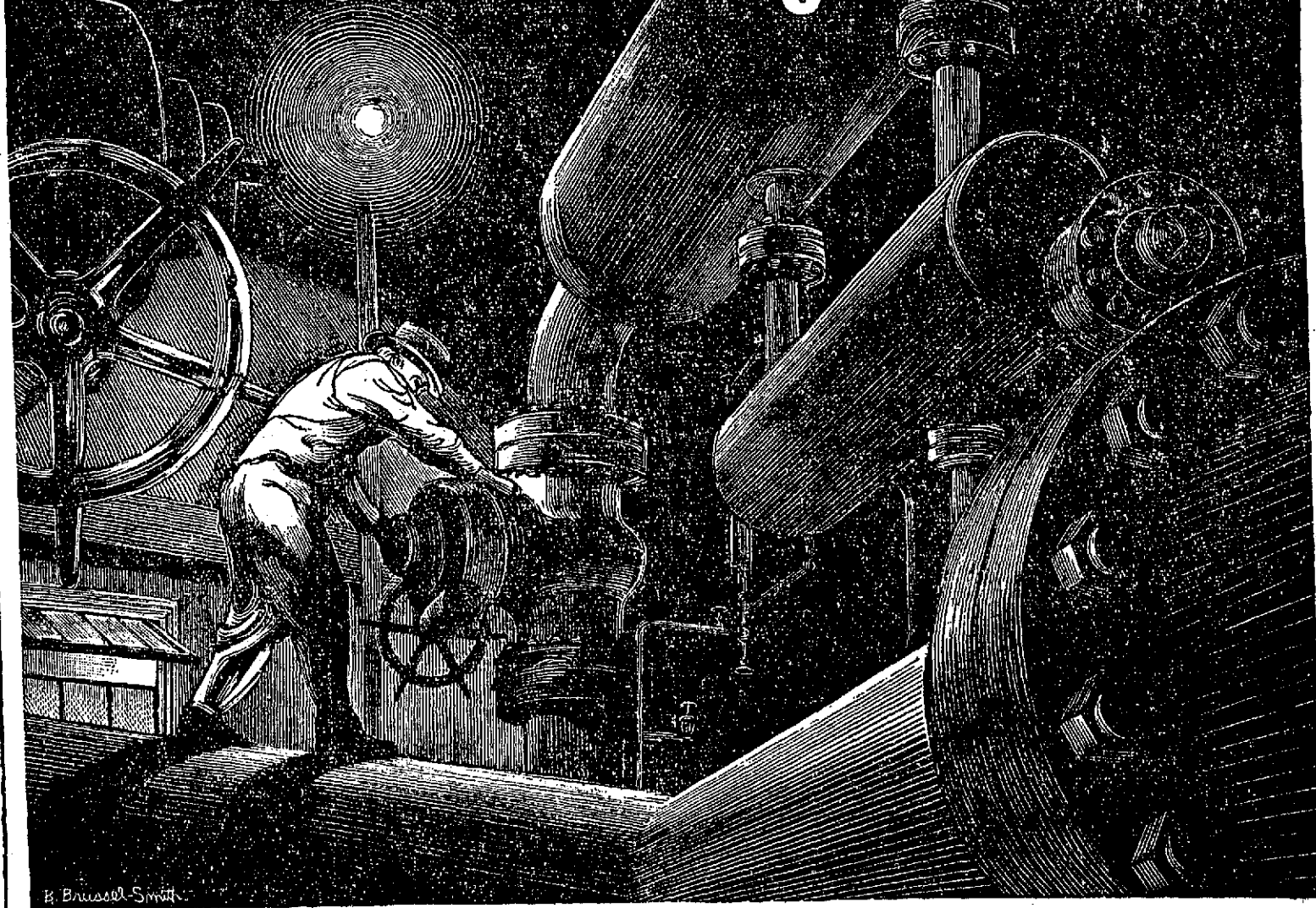
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